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Mr. James S. Lay, Jr.
Executive Secretary
National Security Council
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Jimmy:

Many thanks for your kind letter of 14 November concerning President-elect Kennedy's request that I continue in my present position.

Your generous comments are particularly gratifying, and I greatly appreciate your thoughtfulness in writing to me as you did.

With kindest personal regards,

Blanchard,

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Alexander S. Dulles
Director

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